

# Genealogy Websites

## *by the Redwood Falls Library*

### *Minnesota Historical Society Links*

#### *Genealogy Page*

[www.mnhs.org/genealogy/](http://www.mnhs.org/genealogy/)

#### *Family History Overview*

[www.mnhs.org/genealogy/family/family.htm](http://www.mnhs.org/genealogy/family/family.htm)

#### *Minnesota Birth Certificate Index*

[people.mnhs.org/bci/](http://people.mnhs.org/bci/)

#### *Minnesota Death Certificate Index*

[people.mnhs.org/dci/](http://people.mnhs.org/dci/)

#### *Veterans Graves Index*

[people.mnhs.org/vgri/](http://people.mnhs.org/vgri/)

#### *Collections Online*

[greatriversnetwork.org/index.php?brand=cms](http://greatriversnetwork.org/index.php?brand=cms)

#### *Minnesota State Census Index*

[people.mnhs.org/census/](http://people.mnhs.org/census/)

#### *Minnesota Place Names*

[mnplaces.mnhs.org/upham/index.cfm](http://mnplaces.mnhs.org/upham/index.cfm)

#### *Minnesota Maps Online*

[www.mnhs.org/collections/digitalmaps/](http://www.mnhs.org/collections/digitalmaps/)

#### *Newspaper Collection*

[sites.mnhs.org/library/content/newspaper-collection](http://sites.mnhs.org/library/content/newspaper-collection)

#### *Search the Library*

[sites.mnhs.org/library/](http://sites.mnhs.org/library/)

#### *Research Guides*

<http://libguides.mnhs.org/>

### *Finding Aids*

<http://www.mnhs.org/library/findaids/P1432.xml>

### *Research Services*

[sites.mnhs.org/library/researchservices](http://sites.mnhs.org/library/researchservices)

## *Native American Family History*

### *Research @ MHS and the Science Museum*

#### *Dakota Family History*

[libguides.mnhs.org/dakotafh](http://libguides.mnhs.org/dakotafh)

#### *Resources for researching Dakota Family History*

<http://www.mnhs.org/genealogy/dakotafamily/otherresources.php>

#### *Ojibwe Family History*

<http://libguides.mnhs.org/ojibwefh>

#### *Overview of the collection of the United States Office of Indian Affairs at the Minnesota Historical Society*

[www.mnhs.org/library/findaids/m0559.xml](http://www.mnhs.org/library/findaids/m0559.xml)

#### *In Honor Of The People*

[www.inhonorofthepeople.com](http://www.inhonorofthepeople.com)

A Minnesota based site compiling information, photos and materials from the Bishop Whipple collection on American Indians

## *Other Minnesota Research Sites*

#### *Minnesota Official Marriage System (MOMS)*

<https://www.moms.mn.gov/>

The Minnesota Official Marriage System (MOMS) is an online service designed for the general public to search and locate official marriage information and to be directed to the county which holds the custodial marriage record. A great source for genealogists!

### *Minnesota Discovery Center*

The Minnesota Discovery Center (Iron Range Research Center) has indexed Naturalization Records and the 1918 Alien Registration records for the ENTIRE state of Minnesota. Free search of their database gives you the reel and page number if you have access to the microfilm, or copies are available for a fee. They also have many other records indexed.

#### *Genealogy page:*

[mndiscoverycenter.com/research-center/genealogy](http://mndiscoverycenter.com/research-center/genealogy)

#### *Search database:*

<http://www.ironrangeresearchcenter.org/>

### *Minnesota Reflections*

[reflections.mndigital.org](http://reflections.mndigital.org)

A Website with over 210,000 images and documents shared by over sixty cultural heritage organizations across the state.

### *Dalby Database*

[www.dalbydata.com](http://www.dalbydata.com)

Compiled information on southern Minnesota genealogy including cemeteries, Civil War information, obituaries, and much more.

## *Immigration to New York*

### *Castle Garden*

[www.castlegarden.org/searcher.php](http://www.castlegarden.org/searcher.php)

Search for passengers entering the Port of New York through Castle Garden from 1820-1913

### *Ellis Island*

[www.ellisland.org/search/passSearch.asp?](http://www.ellisland.org/search/passSearch.asp?)

Search for passengers entering the Port of New York through Ellis Island from 1892-1924

## *Other Sites*

### *Civil War Soldiers and Sailors System*

[www.itd.nps.gov/cwss/](http://www.itd.nps.gov/cwss/)

Information on over 6 million soldiers who served during the Civil War

*Shtetlseeker*

[www.jewishgen.org/Communities/LocTown.asp](http://www.jewishgen.org/Communities/LocTown.asp)

A great site that allows you to search for European towns and villages

*Cyndi's List*

[www.cyndislist.com](http://www.cyndislist.com)

A great starting point, Cyndi's List is an index of genealogical sources available on the Internet

*Family Search*

[www.familysearch.org](http://www.familysearch.org)

Family history site of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints

*Find A Grave*

[www.findagrave.com](http://www.findagrave.com)

Find the graves of ancestors, create virtual memorials, add 'virtual flowers' and a note to a loved one's grave, etc

*Death Indexes*

[www.deathindexes.com](http://www.deathindexes.com)

This website is a directory of links to websites with online death indexes, listed by state and county

*U.S. GenWeb Project*

[www.usgenweb.org](http://www.usgenweb.org)

A volunteer-based project providing free websites for genealogical research in every country and every state of the U.S

*Rootsweb*

[www.rootsweb.ancestry.com](http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com)

The oldest and largest FREE genealogy website.

*Ancestry.com*

[www.ancestry.com](http://www.ancestry.com)

The world's largest online family history collection that requires membership to view resources.

*In the library use the following link to access our Library Edition subscription:*

*[www.ancestrylibrary.com](http://www.ancestrylibrary.com)*